

The Didsbury Pioneer

VOLUME 48: NUMBER 9

DIDSBURY, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, 1950

\$2.00 A YEAR: 5c A COPY

Large Crowd Attends Lions Club Ice Carnival Friday

The Didsbury Memorial Arena was packed on Friday night for the Lions Club Carnival and the ideal weather made skating a pleasure for the large number of entrants in the various events.

After O Canada the program opened with the act by the three Majorettes from Olds, followed by the parade of costumes. Judges were Mrs. Milt Ford, Mrs. Howard Hammel and Mrs. A. Scheer, all of Carstairs, and the following were the costume prize winners:

Cost Dressed
Pre-school Girls—Sheila Prevost 1st; Dean Reiber 2nd.

Grades 1 to 8: Boys—Bryan Cathness 1st; Norma Clarke 2nd; George Clarke 3rd. Girls—Wanda Morrison 1st; Marilyn Platz 2nd; Heather Paul 3rd.

Grades 9 to 12: Girls—Ruth Gole 1st; Shirley Ann Carter 2nd; Georgina Allan 3rd.

Men's Open—Ed Klink 1st; Harry McCulloch 2nd; Howard Halliday 3rd.

Ladies' Open—Pat McDonald 1st; Ruth Gole 2nd; Thera Hovis 3rd.

Best Dressed Couple, grades 1 to 8—Lorna Wiggins and Elaine Kimm 1st; Bernice Clarke and Janet MacArthur 2nd; Carol Devoine and Marilyn Reiber 3rd.

Open Couples—Margaret Hansen and Mrs. Alma Shannon 1st; Ed Klink and Pat McDonald 2nd; Wendy Neave and Bonny Clarke 3rd.

Most Original Group, The McFarquhar family.

Best Comic
Grades 1 to 8: Boys—Tory Payne 1st; Kenneth Nelson 2nd; R. Franklin 3rd. Best Couple—Harold Johnston and Don Krebs.

Grades 9 to 12—Clive Johnson and Jack Gillie.

Best Clown—Clive Johnson.

The crowning of the carnival queen was a novel event and Miss Pat McDonald of Didsbury was chosen queen of the Carnival from the ladies' entries.

Miss Pat Morrison of Carstairs gave an exhibition of fancy skating and this was followed by the school events, which were new carnival feature. Schools entering were Didsbury Grade 8, with a nursery rhyme act, under the direction of Mrs. F. Evans; The Gore school with a musical act, under the direction of Mrs. Booker; Dids-

W. A. Austin Again Elected President of Alberta Red Cross Soc.

At the annual meeting held in Calgary last week, W.A. Austin of Didsbury was re-elected president of the Alberta Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Other officers elected were: Elmer Roper, M.L.A., Edmonton, first vice president; E. McLean, Calgary, second vice president; John D. Dwyer, M.B.E., Edmonton, third vice president.

At the meeting Mr. G.C. Lancaster reported on the Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital in Calgary and said the building was about two-thirds completed and it would be ready for use in October.

The appointment of a 12-member permanent board of managers to handle the affairs of the Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital was completed. This board will have full power over expenditures, staff appointments and general hospital control. Fund raising, however, will remain the responsibility of the division.

Annual Fish and Game Banquet March 15th

The annual banquet and program of the Didsbury Fish and Game Association will be held in the Lions hall on Wednesday, March 15 and promises are now being made for the big event.

Besides the various program numbers there will be approximately 90 minutes of wild life pictures shown.

Tickets for the banquet will be on sale this week at the office of the secretary, George McDonald, and members are asked to purchase their tickets before March 11. After this date the balance of the tickets will be available to the general public.

DON'T GET "PIONEER" UNTIL SATURDAY MORNING

In renewing his subscription to the Pioneer, Ray Lantz, in a short note, says that their paper arrives at Victoria every Saturday morning, although the sad time it does not come until Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Gooder visited the Lantz last week on their way to attend a wedding in Vancouver. Mr. Lantz also said that they are having real spring-like weather. The snow is all gone and early flowers are in bloom, while the grass is about ready to grow.

Agricultural Service Board to Hold Shows

A series of meetings on weed control, sponsored by the Agricultural Service Board, will be held throughout the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49, commencing March 1st, and these meetings will be addressed by the District Agriculturist, Mr. Hugh McPhail, and the Field Supervisor, Walter K. Snyder. Mr. McPhail will deal with better farming practices by the use of fertilizers, crop rotation and better seed, while Mr. Snyder will discuss weed control by better cultural practices, the use of 2, 4-D, and soil conservation.

A motion picture will be shown on the effect of 2, 4-D on weeds. This picture has never before had a public showing and it should be well-worth seeing.

There will also be a picture of general interest, and a short comic strip.

The show is free and should be of interest to the women and children, as well as the men folk, and they are urged to attend the meetings and see the films, which they are scheduled for your neighborhood.

Following is the meeting schedule:

Olds—Monday, March 6, 2 p.m.
Crossfield—Tuesday, March 7, at 8 p.m.

Carstairs—Wednesday, March 8, 8 p.m.

Eagle Valley—Wednesday, March 8, 2 p.m.

Sundre—Friday, March 10, 2 p.m.

Harmattan—Friday, March 10, at 8 p.m.

Didsbury—Monday, March 20, at 2 p.m.

Rugby—Monday, March 20, at 8 p.m.

Dog Pound—to be announced.

Leo Nichols, local John Deere dealer, returned Thursday from a tour with John Deere dealers to the factories in the States, and he reports a wonderful trip.

Mrs. W.J. Schell received a telegram last Thursday that her brother, W.F. Schell, of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, had passed away. About ten years ago Mr. Schell's youngest daughter was kidnapped and killed by an ex-convict, who was later shot by the police.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lang of Cluny were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jackson on Wednesday last.

The Westerdale hockey team journeyed to Samis on Saturday afternoon and defeated the Samis team 5-3.

Another game of broomball was enjoyed on the local rink last Friday evening.

The bunsel to decide the top ranking curlers in Marston District No. 4 in Alberta, was held at luncheon last Thursday and J.W. Morris skipped the third, Tom Morris second, and Dave Jenkins lead.

Rinks were entered from all the lodges in District No. 4, except Carstairs and Olds, and included Rocky Mountain House, Ponoka, Lacombe and other nearby towns.

Three games were played by each entry and the Didsbury Curlers won the final game and were presented with souvenir spoons at the banquet in the evening.

McCulloch Girls Hosts To Bancroft Buttercups

The Bancroft Buttercups held the monthly meeting at the McCulloch girls' home on February 18, with seventeen members present. Roll call was answered by all members telling what they did at a Valentine party.

The objective for each member was to bring some colored pictures of nourishing foods, which are to be put in the scrap book.

Plans were made for the Mother and Daughter banquet at which the members entertain their mothers. It will be held in the Bancroft Club on March 22.

Wanda Morrison was in charge of the program. Sheila Stearns won the nickel raffle in the juniors with Elma Swanson winning the contest.

In the Senior class, Mrs. A. Marsh won the nickel raffle.

The next meeting will be held at Stewart's on March 18.

After the meeting a delicious lunch was served.

Julland Beef Calf Club Has Regular Meeting

The Julland Beef Calf Club met at the home of the President, Bud Tighe, for the February meeting.

There was a good turn out of all the members and quite a number of visitors were present. In the absence of Mr. McPhail, the club leader, Mr. Brander, played the classes of cattle which the members judged.

The main business of the meeting centered around the concert and beef social which is being held this Friday in Mountain View hall to raise funds for prizes in the calf club. The members are raffling a beautiful first work letter box made by Bud Tighe.

As many members as can plan to attend the Beef Calf Show at the Calgary Bull Sale.

Norman Archer gave a talk on the value of alfalfa in feeding cattle and Bud Tighe gave a talk on what is meant by baby beef.

The vice-president, Gladys Shells, acted as chairman of the meeting.

Westerdale Willing Workers Have Social

The social evening held at the hall last Tuesday evening, when members of the Willing Workers Club entertained their husbands, was a real success. Each member was asked to invite another couple to the party, and in all about 50 couples were present.

Following a short singing and readings, etc., a buffet supper was enjoyed, also dancing.

Another enjoyable evening of what was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jackson on Monday evening of this week when nine couples were present.

Following a short singing and readings, etc., a buffet supper was enjoyed, also dancing.

A door prize was won by Mrs. L. Jones. Several travelling prizes were also won by both ladies and gents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lang of Cluny were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jackson on Wednesday last.

The Westerdale hockey team journeyed to Samis on Saturday afternoon and defeated the Samis team 5-3.

Another game of broomball was enjoyed on the local rink last Friday evening.

Local Masons Win Curling Championship

The bunsel to decide the top ranking curlers in Marston District No. 4 in Alberta, was held at luncheon last Thursday and J.W. Morris skipped the third, Tom Morris second, and Dave Jenkins lead.

Rinks were entered from all the lodges in District No. 4, except Carstairs and Olds, and included Rocky Mountain House, Ponoka, Lacombe and other nearby towns.

Three games were played by each entry and the Didsbury Curlers won the final game and were presented with souvenir spoons at the banquet in the evening.

RUGBY BLUEBELLS MEETING

The last meeting of the Rugby Bluebells was held at the home of Marlene Vipond on February 15, with eleven members present. Vera Jettus gave a talk on work of the Red Cross, and Maxine Hasegood gave the bit of fun. Plans were made to have a skating party at the Eikon rink on March 11.

Viola McCaughton demonstrated on shell crafts, while the small girls made pot holders.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Beatrice Cowitz on March 25th.

Jay Tuggle Rink Wins Mixed Bonspiel Event

The mixed bonspiel of the local curling club was completed last Tuesday night after many interesting games, and in the knock-out competition the Jay Tuggle rink won first in the winner's half, with Les LeGrand second, Jack Worlidge third, and Jack Fleury fourth. In the loser's half, Ivan Weber won first, Ed Ford second, Dad Gillie third, and Clint Reiber fourth.

Personnel of the winning rinks:

Tuggle, Mrs. Ross, Jack Shannon, Mrs. E. Buhr.

LeGrand, Miss Davis, H. Sandau, Mrs. Jack Morton.

Worlidge, Miss Hanson, O. McMain and Alvie Wood.

Fleury (T. Morton), Joan Cathness, W. Gillie, Jane Block.

Weber, Mrs. Payne, Bill McCoy, Laura McCoy.

Ed Ford, Mrs. Platz, Geo. Platz, Mrs. Otto Bitner.

Dad Gillie, Vivian Cathness, Bob Sacket and Mrs. Don Fleury.

Clint Reiber, Mrs. Ed Grange, Reg Nuss, Fay Prevost.

Alvin Gintner Injured In Game at Bowden On Monday Evening

Didsbury High School Beavers won two out of three contests during the past week.

On Wednesday night the large crowd at the arena saw one of the most interesting hockey sessions of the winter when the Beavers met Westcott. Battled for sixty minutes of fast two-way hockey which saw the score tied three times and still tied with 13 seconds to play. Then at the 19:15 mark on a face-off beside the Beavers' goal Eddie Irwin battled in the winning corner for Westcott to give his team the victory by 6-5.

Westcott goals were scored by Weber from Good (3), Folkman from Irwin, T. Dagetorpe unassisted, E. Irwin unassisted.

Beavers' goals were scored by Archer from Gillie, Miller from Newfield (3), Miller from Gintner.

On Saturday night the Beavers met Bowden for the second time in the local arena and won 8-4. Beaver goals were scored by: Archer from Morris; Archer unassisted (2); Miller from Newfield (2); Miller from Gintner. Miller unassisted, Gintner from Miller.

On Monday night the Beavers went to Bowden for a return game and came home with the best of a 3-2 score. The game was played on very rough ice which was the cause of the first serious accident to the Beavers line up this year.

Alvin Gintner and a Bowden player fell to the ice together on a rough spot and in the scramble Alvin stopped the point of a skate with his face. A branch of the facial artery was cut and the wound required five stitches to close. Fortunately the Bowden doctor was at home and in a very few minutes Alvin was undergoing repairs.

The accident happened about half-way through the second period while there was still no score in the game. The Beavers then went out to win and in the last 12 minutes of the third period they sewed up the game, the first goal coming from Gillie's stick unassisted, followed by Miller unassisted, and then a three-way passing play scored by Newfield from Miller and Francis.

Tonight, Wednesday, March 1, the Beavers met Olds High School in the first game of a three game series for High School Championship. The Alberta Teachers' Association Trophy, won last year by Carstairs, will be awarded to the winner of this series.

Be sure to see the game; these boys are playing a smart brand of hockey and you won't be disappointed.

Beavers' Scoring Leaders:

	G	A	P
Ray Miller	31	11	42
Ed Newfield	12	10	22
Jack Gillie	14	6	20
Alvin Gintner	7	10	17
Ed Archer	10	3	13

Red Cross Blood Helps To Save Woman's Life

Collision between a jeep and a car about 18 miles east of Didsbury on Sunday morning about 10:15 a.m. resulted in injuries to Mrs. Esmussen, who is now a patient in the Didsbury hospital.

Mrs. Esmussen was a passenger in the jeep, operated by her husband. Their son James was also a passenger. Driver of the car was James Crowell, who was travelling with his wife Martha, and their little girl.

The accident occurred at the crest of a hill where the road is restricted to one-way traffic, and the Crowells escaped injury.

Mrs. Esmussen was brought to the Didsbury hospital suffering from injuries and loss of blood. An emergency call was sent to Red Cross blood officials in Calgary and two bottles of blood for a transfusion were immediately sent. Since the transfusion the woman's condition was reported improved.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

No Problem That Can't Be Solved By Council Says M.D. Ratepayer

The Editor, The Pioneer.

Dear Sir:

By no stretch of imagination could it be said that those present at the meeting of the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49 were satisfied with the financial statement, for when one of the Council suggested that the majority were the response to the contrary was long and loud. The statement was adopted as usual, for the money had been collected and spent and the accounts audited and found correct.

Criticism was directed chiefly against the expenditure of \$61,516 for machinery and repairs, when the valuation of all machines both old and new amounts to \$132,713, and the question loomed large as to whether we were getting value for money expended. Had the resolution regarding engaging an engineer been changed to engaging a competent mechanic to supervise machinery repairs with the object of keeping it running it would probably have passed.

The resolution that was lost regarding reduction in size of municipal and school districts was to the effect that a plebiscite be called for that purpose and the majority felt that the government would not grant it nor act upon it.

Excision of granting public money for charitable purposes was made but the action of the Council in this respect was strongly endorsed.

With the Council have to stretch themselves to cover the ground, it would appear that there is no problem in municipal administration that seven good men (even farmers) cannot accomplish for the common good of those who elect them.

J. B. WORTHINGTON

Ken Morris Selected To Make Tour of England

Kenneth Morris, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris of Didsbury, is one of three Alberta boys among a group of 50 from all parts of Canada who will visit Great Britain this summer as guests of W. Garfield Weston, it was announced at Y.M.C.A. headquarters in Calgary.

Others from Alberta are Kenneth Harrison, 16, Edmonton, and James Hawkes, 16, Calgary.

The tour is part of a program sponsored by the Canadian-born industrialist to cultivate closer relationships between the two countries. It began last year with a trip to Canada for 50 British boys. A similar group will come to Canada again this summer.

The Canadian boys will sail from Quebec City on July 12 aboard the "Franconia". They will spend nearly a month touring Great Britain before arriving back in Montreal August 17.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

BUTTERFAT

Delivery Basis at Crystal Dairy

Special	61c
No. 1	58c
No. 2	43c
Off Grade	37c
Table	66c



For the sake of children in need, young Brian Reilly, 10, Red Cross Junior in Wolsey School, Winnipeg, renounces his masculine prejudices to contribute his share of knitting for British war nurseries. Canadian Juniors, whose organization is supported in part by the national Red Cross appeal which starts today, have contributed more than \$19,788 worth of clothing to these nurseries and close to \$500,000 for international child relief in the past six years.

EDFORD MOTORS BARGAIN LIST

- 1949 CHEV. Deluxe Coach, low mileage, like new. Guaranteed.
- 1948 CHEV. Sedan, low mileage, guaranteed.
- 1941 I.H.C. 5 TON TRUCK, reconditioned. A bargain.
- 1936 FORD 1/2 TON TRUCK, in top shape mechanically. Cheap.
- 1938 NASH Sedan, Cheap.

EDFORD MOTORS YOUR MODERN GARAGE

Ed Ford Prop. — Phone 58, Didsbury

SEE OUR LATEST IN — SPRING COSTUME JEWELLERY

—NEW SHIPMENT JUST ARRIVED

Now would be a good time for you to get
THAT MANTEL CLOCK
You've waited so long for. Drop in and see our wide selection, now!

LET'S HAVE THAT SPRING REPAIR JOB EARLY
For expert attention, and avoid the seasonal rush.

Didsbury Jewellery

W. E. BLORE, prop. PHONE 133, DIDSBURY

IT'S SMART TO BE ECONOMICAL . . .

— SAVE WITH AN —

AUSTIN CAR

— \$1545. COMPLETE —

LEO NICHOLS

AUSTIN DEALER — PHONE 132

AT SPREEMAN'S

SOME OF THE THINGS WE DO
AS OUR REGULAR WORK —

Repairing and Rebuilding Farm Machinery; Electric and Acetylene "Certified Welding" the best in town; Rebuilding Brush Breaking Shares Coulters, etc. with special steel; Sharpening Plow Shares, Cultivator Shovels, etc.; Demountable Steel Wheels for your rubber tired tractors; Grill Guards "smooth bends, no kinks"; Wagon and implement change-overs, any size rims.

CHARLES SPREEMAN

PHONE 74 — DIDSBURY

Enjoy . . .

SPRING DRIVING

Let us give your car a thorough spring check-up for the smoothest, safest spring driving ever.

Bring in your car or truck now for a complete check-up so that you can be sure of real trouble-free driving for the next few months.

We have expert mechanics and can give you service on all makes of cars or trucks.

PREVOST MOTORS

Bert Prevost, Prop. B. A. Oil Products
Phone 168 Case Implements

BUY SELL LEASE
USE THE
RENT TRADE

RENT TRADE
CLASSIFIED
BUY SELL LEASE

FOR SALE—Model LI 21-run 14 ft. John Deere Press Drill. Apply to K. C. Taylor, Sunnyside, 9-2p.

FOR SALE—Five Registered Short-horn Bulls, one year old. All dark red in color. Apply to L. Roy Gale, phone 716. 9-3p.

FOR RENT—5 Room Cottage with large garden. Phone 18. Didsbury. 1c.

M.V.B.C. NEWS ITEMS

The faculty and staff of M.V.B.C. surprised Mr. Arthur Eby, one of their number, at a pot-luck supper on Saturday evening, February 25, in honor of his birthday. Every body relaxed and thoroughly enjoyed the get-together.

The Spring Convocation, under the gracious ministry of Mrs. Beatrice Heidegaard, was epoch-making and proved a special blessing to us all.

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wiggins were dinner guests at M.V.B.C. After dinner Mr. Wiggins operated the high speed motion picture projector which was used to show the Y.E.C. film "China Challenge".

The Young People of the Evangelical United Brethren Church joined with the Young Peoples' Society of the United Missionary Church in a skating party at the Westcott rink. More than 100 young people turned out, and they reported delightful fellowship in this healthful recreation.

Pres. J. T. Hoskins was guest speaker on Sunday, February 20th at the Westcott United Church in the absence of Rev. J.W. Bainbridge. Mr. Hoskins also supplied the pulpit of the United Church in Didsbury in the evening. Mrs. Hoskins accompanied him for the day. Prof. G. Lyle Richardson sang at Westcott United Church at the morning service and at the United Church in Didsbury at the evening service.

Prof. and Mrs. J.T. Hoskins and Prof. G. Lyle Richardson were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robertson.

Prof. and Mrs. Annett visited Rev. and Mrs. H.A. Traub of the Mayton district on Sunday. Mr. Annett preached for Rev. Traub in the morning service.

Prof. Peter Waldin, Miss Bonnie Hallman and the "Sunshine Trio" visited Rev. C.J. Hallman's church at James River on Sunday in the interests of Youth Fellowship of the U.M.C. Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gamble, Betty Brief and Dean Harlander assisted Rev. M.L. Baker in his services at Cremona on Sunday.

Irene and Ruby Megill, Eunice Myers and Bertha Young were delightfully entertained by Miss Sarah Zook at the local hospital on Saturday evening.

The faculty and student body join in wishing Mrs. Noah Swalm a complete restoring to health succeeding her operation which she has undergone recently.

The A Cappella Choir and their director, Prof. G. Lyle Richardson, will sing for Youth for Christ in Calgary on Saturday evening, March 4th, at Western Canada High.

The A Cappella Choir and Professors Waldin and Richardson will have charge of the services at the Linden Church on Sunday, March 5, at 11 a.m., and at 2 p.m.

The "Fidelis Trio" consisting of Messrs. G.L. Richardson, E. Neufeld and M. Tweed, will sing at Y.E.C. at Mountain View on Thursday evening, March 2.

Prof. J. T. Hoskins and a musical group will have charge of a Y.E.C. service at Sundre on Friday evening, March 3.

The "Fidelis Trio" plan to motor to Camrose for Y.E.C. on Wednesday, March 1.

A Student's Voice:
The students and faculty do not consider time wasted in recreation. The brain demands periods of relaxation from mental application. We are taking these periods in the form of physical sports.

M.V.B.C. offers a variety of healthful sports such as volleyball and ice skating, which are seasonal in nature. We also have ping pong or table tennis which is an all year sport. The young men practice hockey on the nice little rink which they made on the campus. It is hoped that in the future this rink may be enlarged to accommodate the growing needs.

In spite of the limitations regarding recreation, we have enjoyed the excellent sports at our own camp.

WILLIAM COX,
Recreation chairman

FOR SALE—Saunders Wheat, 91% germination. Apply to J.R. Reese, phone R2006, Didsbury. 9-2p.

FOR SALE—11 Yorkshire Weaner Pigs. Also Registered Yorkshire Boar. No. IC-348913, two years old. Apply to R. E. McMullen, Elkton. 9-2p.

WANTED—By April 1st, competent Short-hand Typist for Rosebud Health Unit in Didsbury. Apply to Dr. W.C. Amman, M.O.H., at the Clinic. 9-2c.

FOR SALE—A quantity of Plush Seed Barley. Gov't test machine run. 93%. Apply to D.O. Thompson, phone R916, RR1 Didsbury, Alta. 9-3p.

FOR SALE—1949 Massey Harris 55 Tractor, complete, and good as new. Apply to E. Leclaire, phone R1005, Didsbury. 9-1c.

FOR SALE—1930 Dodge Sedan in good condition. Good paint and tires, antifreeze, heater. Apply to L. Eby at Nichols' Garage. 1p.

FOR SALE—Northern Electric Combination Radio and Record Player, table model, \$75. Apply to Didsbury Electric & Plumbing, phone 51, Didsbury. 1c.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. McKenzie and the hospital staff for the care and kindness shown me while a patient in the local hospital. Also my neighbors and friends for their gifts, cards and visits.

JIM HUGHES

BERGEN NOTES

The Ladies' Aid held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. P. Dyck with a good attendance. Officers were elected for the coming year. Mrs. D.O. Clarke is the new president replacing Mrs. Dyck who resigned this year. Mrs. Ross Ellis was elected vice president and Mrs. T. Haug, secretary.

The members decided to send \$5 to the March of Dimes. Mrs. Wesley Haug offered her home for the next meeting. An enjoyable lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson returned last weekend from an enjoyable trip to Perth County, Ontario, where they visited with Jack's elder brother and other relatives.

Mrs. Roy Marshall and daughter Sharon are visiting here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ellis.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bowman (Vivian Ellis) of Edmonton on February 21st, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davidson visited here on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Davidson. Mrs. Davidson is out of the hospital and will soon be able to have her twin son, Gerry, home. Gerry has made his home here with his aunt and uncle for over six months and he will be missed when he leaves.

The annual ratifiers meeting was held at the school on Saturday, February 25. Mr. Purrell Blain, D.O. Clarke, and Mrs. Trygve Haug were elected to the new school board.

Mr. and Mrs. Purrell Blain were pleasantly surprised on Monday evening, February 20, when over twenty friends and neighbors called to congratulate them on their 21st wedding anniversary. A very pleasant evening was spent and Mr. and Mrs. Blain were presented with some lovely gifts of china-ware. The ladies then served an enjoyable lunch.

Jimmy Haug is driving a new International light delivery, and Roder Erickson has purchased a second hand Jeep.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Special guest speaker at the Evangelical U.B. Church, Didsbury, every evening at 8:00 P.M. is Rev. E.A. Lieske of Chilliwack, B.C. Rev. Lieske is not only an eloquent speaker but also a fine artist, doing oil painting, chalk coloring and cartoon drawings. On Sunday, March 5th, Rev. Lieske will speak in the morning service at 10:30, and also at the evening service at 7:30, continuing every evening of next week till Friday, March 10. Plan to attend every service.

REAL ESTATE

Farm Lands, Businesses and Houses For Sale in Didsbury, Carstairs and Olds Districts.
9 Houses in Didsbury
GINTHER AND ROBERTS
Ph. No. 9 or No. 13—Didsbury

FARM LOANS—\$1,000 and up. McDonald Agencies, phone 100, Didsbury. 50-1c.

FOR SALE—5 room house in good condition, insulated, combination storm doors. Price reasonable. Phone 76 or 70, Didsbury. 1c.

FOR SALE—Turkey Poults and Baby Chicks, government approved. Money Maker Feeds and Poultry Supplies—Apply to the Moritz Turkey Hatchery, phone 327, Olds, Alta. 8-1c.

FOR SALE—Prize-Winning Certified Saunders Wheat. First at Lacombe Fair, Second at Calgary. No. 1 seed, sacked and sealed, \$3.00 per bushel. Also No. 1 Commercial Saunders Wheat, Cert. No. 79-7008, \$2.50 per bushel. Apply to Hugh A. Nisbet, phone 3307, Bowden. 8-3p.

FARM LOANS—Loans available on well improved farm lands. Lowest interest rates.—J.C. Leslie & Co., 522 P. Burns Bldg., Calgary. Phone M1235. 1c.

WANTED—Young married man, one child, experienced in dairy and farm work, would like a job by April 1st. Apply to Henry Neufeld, c/o J. Boulton, phone 211, Cochrane, Alta. 9-3p.

FOR SALE—New House, 1½ blocks west of Jenkins' Groceria. 2 bedrooms, bath, kitchen and living room. Owner, J. Kercher. For further information apply to Ed Kercher, Didsbury.

FARMERS AND RANCHERS—It costs you no more to take advantage of the 35 years' experience of Alberta's largest Farm Agents for a quick and reliable sale. Send for our listing forms now.—J.C. Leslie & Co., 522 P. Burns Bldg., Calgary. Phone M1235 1c.

FOR SALE—No. 10 McCormick Deering Hammer Mill, one year old. A real bargain at \$150. Apply to Leo Nichols, phone 132. 7-3c.

FOR SALE—Model A. Roadster, owned by Harry Steiss. May be seen at Barrett's Garage. 7-3p.

FOR SALE—1948 Standard Chevrolet Sedan in A-1 condition. Heater, Defrosters & anti-freeze. Rev. E. G. Archer, phone 150, Didsbury.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. R. A. Gulliver and family wish to express their sincere appreciation to their Didsbury friends and neighbors for the expressions of sympathy, floral tributes and kindness extended during their recent sad bereavement in the passing of their dearly beloved wife and mother.

FOR SALE—Purebred Hereford Bull rising two years. Apply to Walter Fulkert, Didsbury. 9-1p.

FOR SALE—Victory Oats, suitable for feed. Sample at U.G.G. No. 1, Innisfail. Also Feed Oats. Apply to Ed Holt, Innisfail. 8-2p.

WANTED—Baby sitting job every evening but Wednesday. Housework jobs during daytime, except Saturday. Phone 129. 1p.

"KLEEREK" clears up skin ailments—Eczema, Rash, Pimples, Psoriasis, etc.—quickly, effectively. Thousands of unsolicited testimonials from satisfied users across Canada. 50c. \$1.00. At all druggists.

HOUSEWORK WANTED—Young girl would like to do housework in Didsbury as soon as possible, \$15 a week, but would like to work for several months. For particulars apply at Pioneer Office, 7-3c.

FOR SALE—Brooder House 12x14, double boarded, two granaries, 12x12 and 12x14, almost new. Apply to D.F. Penner, phone 605, Carstairs. 8-2p.

FOR SALE—1931 Model "A" Ford, heater and anti-freeze. Good tires. Apply to Art. St. Clair, Didsbury. 7-2c.

FOR SALE

The following Machinery and Livestock: Model C Tractor on rubber, starter and lights, power take-off, oil filter, fluid in tires, in A-1 condition; Oliver three-furrow 14 in. Plow, late model, raydex points, on rubber; Case 6 ft. Tiller in A-1 shape, on rubber; 10 ft. International Rod Weeder in new condition. Also Registered Holstein Bull, 2 years old, Easlin Rag Apple Archie No. 208982, sired by Glenafon Rag Apple Architect, Dam Hays' Vivian Rag Apple. Apply to Al Wackett, phone 2204, Olds, Alberta. 7-3p.



"A" SQUADRON

KOCR 14AR (RCAC)
PART 1 ORDERS RE: DIDSBURY
Parade Monday, March 6, at 2000 hrs.

Subjects: Wireless, Neufeld; Ben Gun, Eanton; Diesel, Janzen.

Dress—Battle Dress, Berets, Black Belts, and Oxfords.

CAPT. THIRING, K.G.

Sparkling NEW BEAUTY TRADITIONAL DEPENDABILITY



See the finest Dodge automobile ever built. You'll like their lower, drier appearance . . . their beautifully-proportioned lines . . . the luxurious comfort of their big, roomy interiors . . . the comfort of knee-level seats . . . the ease of entry and exit through the big, wide-opening doors.

Drive a new Dodge for proof of outstanding performance . . . ease of control . . . safety and comfort. For proof of Dodge Dependability ask any Dodge owner.

THE NEW 1950

Dodge

DE LUXE • SPECIAL DE LUXE • CUSTOM

PAYNE-FREEMAN COMPANY LTD.
DODGE & DESOTO SALES & SERVICE
PHONE 14 — DIDSBURY

Lions Club Activities During Past Five Years

The following address was given at a recent Lions Club meeting to mark the progress of the Didsbury Lions Club during the past five years:

At our next meeting we will celebrate our fifth birthday, for it was in February, 1945, that we were officially presented with our charter by our sponsor, the Innisfail Lions Club. It would therefore appear to be a good time to review what we have accomplished in the past and to resolve to do as much or more in the future.

In the fall of 1941 many of the business men of the Town felt that community matters were drifting along rather aimlessly. They could see that there was much to be done to improve the community and it was felt that a more organized effort along this line would bear fruit. The formation of a service club appeared to be the proper step in this direction. The next question was what official organization should we affiliate with? After hearing representatives from different organizations we chose the Lions Club because this seemed to be the best organization to fill our needs. The rules to membership classification were not too strict and the minimum number of meetings required during the year was not too great. So on February 7th, 1945, we received our charter and were ready to go to work. We had 25 charter members and while today we have a membership of 51 it is interesting and gratifying to note that 18 of our charter members are still with us.

We decided that our first major project should be a swimming pool to be constructed in the vicinity of the creamery so that we could utilize waste hot water from the pasteurizers. We immediately started getting plans and making arrangements but it soon became apparent that before we could get very far with that project we would have to raise a lot of money. So we began saving up for the time that we could start work on it.

However, we did not overlook the non profit projects either. One of our first jobs was to lend our weight to the Red Cross Blood Donor Clinic with gratifying results as reflected in the increase of donors. At this time the new hospital had just been constructed and we took on the job of landscaping the grounds. This project alone over a period of three years cost us \$800. We were also faced with the problem of providing ourselves with a proper meeting place. At that time the Town was operating this hall for the public benefit. We arranged to take over the management of it and I may add the Town was not sorry to let us have it. We have been operating it ever since. The first thing we did was to redecorate it throughout. We put in the present light fixtures. Prior to that the lights were just drop cords. We sanded the floor, provided the kitchen with a cook stove, running water, dishes, cupboards, sink, and put in the coat rack in the ante room. We provided the fire escape so that the hall could legally be

used for public functions. We put curtains on the windows, had folding tables made, and with the co-operation of the I.O.O.F. we replaced the old and broken chairs with the present new ones. We at all times found the owner of the building, Lion Howard Halliday, very co-operative and helpful. In view of the fact that this is the only hall in Town I feel that our efforts in making it what it is today have been very worth while.

After we had the problem of our eating place under control we had to have someone to cater to our luncheons. From the very outset Lion Sam Krueger has looked after this for us and we are deeply indebted to him and Mary, for many a service club has fallen by the wayside because it could not make suitable arrangements covering this most important matter.

During the past years the club formulated a policy of inviting soldiers who were in Town on leave to their dinners as guests and for a long time we rarely had a meeting without having one or more of these boys with us. We hope that they enjoyed it and we know that we enjoyed having them. We have also, whenever the case presented itself, made a practice of inviting outside speakers and in this way we have made some of our meetings in the last very informal.

In the early days of rural electrification our club sponsored a meeting between the officials of the power companies and the local farmers which, we believe, helped to get things started. We also took an active interest in the water works which were then only in the talking stage and besides having several reports and quizzes on it in the club itself we circulated all the residents of the Town and when the vote was taken I have

no doubt that the ground work done by our club had a considerable bearing on the results. As a means of bringing Town and country together we, in 1945, started entertaining the local calf club and we pursued this policy, extended by the beef calf clubs up until this year.

We as a club did considerable work in getting the present low domestic electric light rate instituted in the Town. Owing to the war regulations it was necessary to have a petition signed by practically 100 per cent of the users before the prevailing rates could be changed. It was Lion Club members that finally got the necessary petition completed.

In 1946 we took on the sponsorship of the Salvation Army appeal for funds in the district. The first year we turned over to them about \$180. Last year the figure was well over \$400. We have on different occasions helped people who have not with misfortune. We contributed money and organized a collection fund for one family that was burned out and we also contributed towards the cost of obtaining specialized treatment for a small baby that was sent to the Red Cross hospital in Toronto. When the people of the Fraser Valley were flooded out two years ago our club sent \$25 to the Maple Ridge Lions Club to be used for relief purposes. We have supplied glasses to needy children. We have given our support to the United Nations Appeal for Needy Children. We have contributed money to the We have contributed money to the

We have sponsored numerous public entertainments such as the University of Alberta Choir and the Glenora skaters. An amateur show put on by the Red Deer Lions Club; Minstrel shows and amateur shows.

We paid for one-third of the projection machine at the school which amounted to \$125. The other two-thirds of the cost was financed by the School Board and the Fish and Game Association. We have supported the local band at all times with cash donations and we have purchased a musical instrument costing \$140 for the use of the leader. We have supported and helped the fair board and we did a lot of work repairing and painting the buildings at the fair grounds. We purchased approximately six acres of land at the North end of the fair grounds at a cost of \$330 as we felt that the property would be a valuable addition to the grounds for parking space. We purchased a public address system and record player at a cost of \$300 dollars for the use of ourselves and the community at large. At present it is being used to provide music for the skaters at the rink. We have sponsored and encourage hockey and baseball teams.

When it was decided to build the new covered rink our club co-operated with the Legion in every way, both as individuals and as a club. We decided that the interests of the community would best be served if we forgot about our swimming pool for the time being and made the money we had saved up available for the rink committee. In August, 1947, we turned over to the Building Committee \$5,000 in cash. Since that time we have been turning over all we could to the rink fund and up to date the direct contribution of our club in cash amounts to approximately \$8,000.

Our money making activities have been varied and numerous. We have held two community auction sales. We have each summer held a major sports day. We

have operated bingo, raffles, dances, ice carnivals and shows of every kind and description.

As you can readily see from what I have already said we have made and spent a lot of money and every cent of it has been raised through activities. We have never asked for subscriptions to our club. All money made by us is out of local projects has been spent by us on local projects. All our meals have been paid for by ourselves. Our dues have been sufficient to look after the operation of the club itself. The community at large has benefitted to all the money we have made from our work. We have benefitted by seeing the community we live in improve and by knowledge that the improvement has to a large extent been brought about by our efforts.

New Stamp Design Shows Oil Industry

The major contribution of Alberta's booming oil industry to Canada's post-war economy will be recognized by a newly-designed 50-cent postage stamp.

The new issue, to appear March 1, is green in color and the same size as the current 50-cent stamp, about 1 1/2 by 1 inch.

The attractive design shows an Alberta oil field scene with two large oil derricks jutting into the sky, two oil storage tanks and a burning natural gas flare.

In the background, against the rolling foothills of the Canadian Rockies, a dark spume of oil and smoke heralds the birth of a new well.



Canada took one LOOK...

APPLAUDED...and AGREED that the

1950 CHEVROLET

is FIRST...and Finest...at Lowest Cost!



A GENERAL MOTORS VALUE

"Even six-footers find comfort here!"
NEW TWO-TONE FISHER INTERIORS
Extra-comfy — extra-luxurious

"Most beautiful car we've seen!"
NEW STYLE-STAR BODIES BY FISHER
In sparkling new color harmonies

"Boy — these really are stoppers!"
PROVED CERTI-SAFE HYDRAULIC BRAKES
with Dual-Life rivetless brake linings

NEVER BEFORE have the men and women of Canada given such outspoken and overwhelming preference to any motor car in any price field!

Reports from all parts of the country indicate that they are acclaiming the new 1950 Chevrolet first and finest at lowest cost. They're saying it's first and finest in fleet, graceful styling at lowest cost... first and finest in luxurious, room-to-relax comfort at lowest cost... and, above all, first and finest in dynamic performance and smooth, effortless operation at lowest cost!

Come in and examine the trend-leading Chevrolets for 1950. See for yourself why it's Canada's Best Seller — Canada's Best Buy!

Highly Improved, More Powerful Valve-in-Head Engine!
WITH POWER-JET CARBURETOR AND LARGER EXHAUST VALVES

The fine Chevrolet engine now even finer... more power, faster pick-up, greater over-all performance... plus the outstanding economy for which Chevrolet has always been noted. New Power-Jet Carburetor improves performance, provides faster warm-up — saves gas! Better low-speed performance and improved operation on hills, too!

"Tops for driving and riding ease!"
CENTRE-POINT STEERING
with Unitized Knee-Action Ride

"What roominess — and what value!"
BIGGEST OF ALL LOW-PRICED CARS
longest, heaviest car in its field, with widest track

"This extra-sight means extra-safety!"
CURVED WINDSHIELD with PANORAMIC VISIBILITY in Fisher Unitized Bodies

Canada's Best Seller

Canada's Best Buy

EDFORD MOTORS

YOUR MODERN GARAGE

Ed Ford, prop. — Phone 58, Didsbury

Futurama Oldsmobile On Display This Week

A new restyled Futurama Oldsmobile for 1950, available in two series, and featuring smartened exterior appearance, new interior tailoring and trim design, new colors and sturdier construction will be on display this week at Edford Motors.

The famed "Rocket" high-compression engine, introduced last year again powers the Series 88 Oldsmobile. This model is automatically supplied with the new Oldsmobile Whirlaway Hydra-Matic Drive developed especially to team with the "Rocket" engine.

The standard Hyro-Matic Drive, nearly 1,000,000 have proved their reliability in billions of miles over the past ten years, is available as an option at extra cost on Series 76. This Series, powered by a six-cylinder engine with 105 h.p., offers a choice of standard or deluxe four-door sedan, two-door club sedan and a standard club coupe. The Series 88, powered by 133 h.p. valve-in-head Rocket engine with a compression ratio of 7.5 to 1, is available in deluxe four-door sedan and deluxe two-door club sedan. Both Series 76 and 88 are mounted on 119 1/2 inch wheelbase.

Oldsmobile for 1950 retains the same frontal look with its low, broad, road hugging appearance. The strikingly simple grille and the massive "wrap-around" bumper with the "two-in-one" lights are keynotes of Futurama styling. Other highlights of exterior styling include a new hood ornament on the Series 76 with Rocket superimposed to mark the Series 88; new stainless steel rear fender molding on the Series 76 with the word "Futurama" embossed at its forward end; a new trunk emblem and rear deck handle; new trunk

HELPING FATE

A Quaker pioneer, walking from his clearing to the meeting house, had his trusty flint-lock handy. A non-believer accosted him, saying, "Brother Nathan, is not it your belief that what is destined to be will be?" "Yes," "Then, if all the Indians in the province attacked the meeting house and your time had not come, you would not be harmed?"

"No," answered the Quaker. "But if your time had come," pursued the other, "then, no matter what you did, it would do no good."

"That is right," "Then why do you carry your gun to the meeting?"

Gravely the Quaker replied, "On my way to or from the meeting I might see an Indian whose time had come."

Seed Grain Treatment

The application of organic mercuric dusts to seed grain prevents disease and increases yields. Not only do these dusts control cereal smuts but they increase germination by curailing some of the soil-borne diseases. Both cereals and legumes are easy to apply. W. Lohey, provincial supervisor of crop production, says they should be used at a rate of one half ounce per bushel for all the cereal grains except flax. In the treatment of flax one and a half ounces per bushel should be used. Before applying the chemical the seed should be thoroughly cleaned to remove smut balls, weed seeds and shrivelled berries. Mercurial dusts are poisonous. A mask should be worn during dust treatment of the seed.

locks, separated from the trunk handle, and new hub caps with drop centre styling.

Feeding Potatoes To Your Livestock

Normally potatoes are not considered to be a standard feed for livestock. When crops are good and markets limited, low grade stock, small and cull potatoes may be disposed of profitably as livestock feed. Farmers and growers having a surplus of potatoes would be well advised to consider the value of marketing a portion of their crop through farm animals.

Analysis shows that potatoes contain about twice as much dry matter and total digestible nutrients as do common root crops such as mangles and turnips, and that they are equal to corn silage in dry matter and total digestible nutrients. They are, however, practically free of fibre and should be looked upon as a watery concentrate rather than a succulent roughage. Potatoes are low in protein and because of this, a ration containing potatoes must be balanced by the inclusion of some protein-rich feed. The vitamin content of potatoes, too, is almost negligible. In the case of cattle and sheep, the feeding of well cured mixed or regume hay will overcome this deficiency.

To assist farmers in feeding potatoes to livestock, a circular has been published on the subject. This includes information on methods of feeding, in the raw form, cooked, as silage, or dried. It concludes with suggested well-balanced rations, including potatoes, for all kinds of livestock.

There were 1,683 motion picture theatres operating in Canada in 1947, average admission price was 35.6 cents, box office receipts averaged \$6.30 cents per capita.

USE THE CLASSIFIEDS

Red Cross Aid Greater As Population Grows

Post-war growth of Canada, and the inclusion of Newfoundland for the first time under the Red Cross banner, is resulting in a corresponding expansion of many Red Cross services. Hon. Leopold Macaulay, National Executive Chairman, pointed out recently in announcing the opening of the Canadian Red Cross National appeal for \$5,000,000 on March 1st.

"For the first time in our history, Newfoundland will be associated with the other Provinces in this truly nation-wide appeal for the health and welfare of Canadian citizens," Mr. Macaulay said.

"Increase of industrial centres, opening of new frontiers and remote rural areas brings the hazards of fires, floods, explosions and other disasters closer to a larger percentage of our population. Red Cross Disaster Services, geared to bring speedy and efficient relief, must be expanded. More communities need Red Cross health and medical services, including Out-post Hospitals, Home Nursing, etc.

Increased population means an expanded national Blood Transfusion Service to make blood plasma freely available to all patients in hospital.

While the main objective of the 1950 campaign is the furtherance of the health and welfare of Canadians at home, Red Cross will still co-operate in international relief and special grants for emergencies in other lands.

Canada's most important single industry is agriculture. About one out of four Canadians is engaged in farming.

..... The province of Quebec accounts for approximately 33 per cent of Canada's production of chemicals.



THE WONDERFUL NEW
GENERAL ELECTRIC
FLOOR POLISHER
\$59.50

The back-breaking job of polishing floors by hand or with a clumsy, weighted brush is a thing of the past! The G-E Floor Polisher with counter-rotating brushes does a speedy, gleaming job on hardwood, linoleum, and tile floors... right up to the baseboard, deep into corners and close to furniture. All you do is guide it over waxed floors and the two, fast-moving brushes do all the work.

DICKAU ELECTRIC
PHONE 204 — DIDSBURY



SALES BOOKS

ORDER
YOUR
COUNTER
CHECK
BOOKS
FROM

THE DIDSBURY PIONEER
Phone 12 — Didsbury

OLDSMOBILE ROCKETS AHEAD!

GLAMOROUS NEW FUTURAMICS!

SPECTACULAR "ROCKET" ENGINES!

"WHIRLAWAY" HYDRA-MATIC DRIVE!



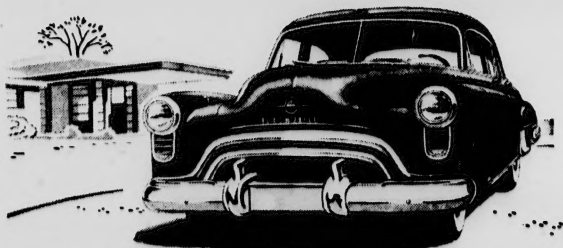
A GENERAL MOTORS VALUE

Rocketing into the Futurama Fifties—a fabulous new fleet of Oldsmobiles! Two exciting new series—the sparkling "76" and the action-packed "88". All new and Futurama! See them at your Oldsmobile Dealer's! New Futurama styling—fresh, fleet, free-flowing lines—wider, roomier interiors—more visibility all around! The cushioned comfort of the "Airborne Ride"! New safety, strength and durability in more rigid Bodies by

Fisher! Beautiful new Futurama colors! Get the great story of the Oldsmobile "Rocket"—newest, most advanced engine in motoring! Whirlaway Hydra-Matic—the new automatic drive that matches the smoothness of the "Rocket"!

Plus a host of Futurama features! Plan to see the new Futurama Oldsmobiles today. Then you'll want to... go ahead—own an Oldsmobile!

*Standard on "88"; optional at extra cost on "76".



G-1950

EDFORD MOTORS

YOUR MODERN GARAGE

Ed Ford, prop. — Phone 58, Didsbury

PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY

DOCTORS

J. A. D. PAUL, M.D.
C.M., L.M.C.C.
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON
Office in Residence
Office Phone 63, Didsbury

H. W. EPP, B.Sc., M.D.
C.M., L.M.C.C.
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON
Office West of Hotel
Hours: 11-12; 1:30-5, except
Wed.—and by appointment
Phone 141 — Didsbury, Alta.

R. E. MCKENZIE, M.D.
M.B., CH. B.
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON
Office Hours: 2 to 5 only
And By Appointment
Office over the Royal Bank
Office Phone 64, Didsbury

DR. H. S. RAMSEY
CHIROPRACTOR
CLOSED WEDNESDAYS
Special Attention Given
to Foot Troubles
Kemp Block, Olds, Alberta

DENTISTS

DR. C. T. McNICHOL
DENTIST
Office over the Royal Bank
— PHONE 79 —
DIDSBURY, ALTA.

LAWYERS

W. A. AUSTIN
Lawyer — Notary Public
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS
Estates Managed
Phone 52, Didsbury, Alta.

H. Lynch-Staunton
LL.B.
BARRISTER & SOLICITOR
Notary Public
Res. Phone 119 — Office 120

OPTOMETRISTS

OPTOMETRIST
D. Stewart Topley
503 Greyhound Bldg.
CALGARY
— M7350 —

D. J. SNELL
OPTOMETRIST
At His Office in the
Davey Block, Olds
EVERY SATURDAY
Appointments may be made at
Maybank's Drug Store.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

Didsbury Funeral Home
W. A. McFarquhar, Director
Associated with
Goder Bros., Calgary
Ambulance Service
Phone 33 or 46 — Didsbury

ORME FUNERAL
" CHAPEL "
Licensed Embalmers
Agent for Memorials

G. ORME & SON
Phone 22, Olds

JOE DICK
LIVESTOCK DEALER
PHONE 121 — DIDSBURY

FOR ALL TYPES OF
INSURANCE
CONTACT
B. B. BROWER
Phone 43 — Didsbury

TRUCKERS

GENERAL TRUCKING
SAND, GRAVEL, COAL
GRAIN, LUMBER, ETC.
We are now equipped to dig
basements and do small
"doling jobs"

BURR TUGGLE
Phone 91, Didsbury

FOR RELIABLE
TRUCKING SERVICE
LOCAL AND LONG
DISTANCE HAULING
We're pleased to please you

UNGER BROS.
Phone 96 — Didsbury

DIDSBURY TRANSFER
AND CARTAGE
General Pick-Up & Delivery
W. REIST & SON
Phone 19, C.P.R.—129 or 205

MISCELLANEOUS

NEUFELD'S
HIGHWAY GARAGE

P. E. NEUFELD, prop.
Repairs to all makes of
Cars, Trucks and Tractors
BODY REPAIRING, PAINTING
Phone R619 — Didsbury

HAVE YOUR
SKATES SHARPENED
ON OUR NEW
HORIZONTAL MACHINE
Farmers & Ranchers — Have
Your Saddles and harness re-
paired during slack season.
Clarence's Shoe Shop

GUARANTEED WATCH
REPAIRING
Jewellery of All Descriptions
THE DIDSBURY
JEWELLERY
W.E. Store, prop. Phone 133

FOR ACTION
IN AUCTION
— SEE —

TOM DENCH
Phone 1304 — Carstairs

— TRY —
CLASSIFIED ADS
— FOR —
QUICK RESULTS

EAT
AT THE
BRIGHT
SPOT

All Our Pastry is Home Made
ED. ENGBER, Prop.

— SEE YOUR —
IMPERIAL OIL
AGENT

For All Kinds of
Lubricants & Greases
GASOLINE AND
FUEL OIL

IVAN WEBER
Phone 56 — Residence 61

UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH
Rev. E. G. Archer, pastor

Sunday school: 1:30 p.m. Worship
Service 2:30 p.m.
Sunday evening service 7:45 p.m.
Young peoples' service every al-
ternate Sunday at 7:45 p.m.
Wednesday evening prayer meet-
ing at 8:00 p.m.
Davenport school: Sunday school
and service each Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
A friendly invitation to everyone
to come and worship with us.

Compana Barley Has
Some Good Features

(Hugh McPhail, D.A.)
Some Compana barley was
brought into the district and sown
last year. It showed up remarkably
well in comparison with other
recommended varieties. However,
it is not on the recommended list
for this zone but is recommended
for the drier areas of zones 1 and
2. Although this district had a
severe condition similar to those
zones last year we hope that it is
not going to become an established
condition, so the following infor-
mation from the Lethbridge Ex-
perimental Station should be of
interest to those who may consider
growing it.

Compana is a new, two-rowed
semi-smooth awned barley variety
which is being grown extensively
on dry land in Montana. It has
been grown to some extent in
Southern Alberta and Southwestern
Saskatchewan and has performed
very well in comparison with other
varieties. Compana is recommended
by the Alberta Varietal Zon-
ation Committee for production in
Zone 1 and the western and south-
ern parts of Zone 2. In other words,
this variety is recommended in the
dry areas of Alberta, but not in the
districts where rainfall is relatively
high.

In tests conducted by the Experi-
mental Station at Lethbridge, Com-
pana, under dry conditions has
usually been higher yielding than
the other varieties tested. Under
very dry conditions it yields con-
siderably higher than such vari-
eties as Titan, Vantage and Mont-
calm. Under these conditions, Com-
pana may not head completely,
the heads remaining in the sheath.
This does not interfere with thresh-
ing, however, since the variety re-
mains relatively easy to thresh.
Under relatively moist condi-
tions varieties such as Montcalm
and Vantage yield higher than
Compana. Under all conditions,
however, Compana is high in husk
weight and has a low bush
content. Since Compana does not
shatter or lose its heads readily,
it can be straight combined with-
out much danger of loss from
wind damage.

Compana is very weak in the
straw and it is not suitable where
moisture conditions are such that
lodging is a problem. It is moder-
ately resistant to loose smut and
moderately susceptible to covered
smut.

THE HEALTH UNIT
REPORTS

During the week ending Sat-
urday, February 25th, the enemy
within our midst, which at the
present time is Scarlet Fever, has
been relentlessly pursued and
crushed down. In Olds and its im-
mediate surroundings, which has
been the main focus of infection
during the past few weeks, there
have been only six cases which on
investigation have proved to be
scarlet fever. These have all been
promptly isolated and all contacts
quarantined.

But in the North Western part
of our Health Unit Area, about
twenty miles from Olds, a smould-
ering focus of infection of scarlet
fever has been discovered, where
rashes and sore throats have been
almost a commonplace since the
beginning of January, and no one
has taken the trouble to report
them until just over a week ago.
Eleven children were found to be
infected with scarlet fever, all of
them fortunately in a very mild
form; they were promptly isolated
and drastic action was taken with
regard to the remainder of the
community; the local school was
closed for a period of three weeks
and all children attending were
quarantined for the same period.
It may be opportune at this
stage to draw the attention of the
community to the importance of
consulting their family doctor
whenever and as soon as a child
appears with a rash or complains
of a sore throat. These are fre-
quently the only manifestations of
scarlet fever in its present mild
form, especially in those children
who have been immunized against
the disease. But it must not be
forgotten that scarlet fever even in
its mildest form is capable of be-
ing transmitted and causing an ex-
tremely severe form of the disease,
and for this reason scarlet fever,
no matter in what guise it appears,
must always be treated with the
greatest respect.

The only other communicable
disease within our midst at the
present time is German Measles.
In itself it is hardly a disease in
so far as children are concerned,
though when it attacks adults it

may do so in a more severe vari-
ety. But from the point of view of
children it is in effect more of a
nuisance than a disease. In fact,
the child has usually recovered by
the time the doctor has been called,
and in my own experience I have
not known any complications of
this malady.

There has been a minor epidemic
of German Measles in Olds, though
no cases have been reported from
the country for quite a while. But
in Olds it was thought advisable
in the interests of the community
to close a primary school for ten
days, and to quarantine the child-
ren attending there for the same
period.

How rumour and the flights of
fancy can cause people to see the
devil when in fact he is far away
was once again shown by a call we
had from Sundre. Scarlet fever, it
was rumored, was a rife, and an-
xious mothers were keeping their
children out of school. We went
and investigated, and not a single
case of Scarlet Fever could be un-
earthed! The last case of Scarlet
Fever confirmed at Sundre was on
February 14th, and so, although it
does not behoove us to relax our
vigilance at the same time there
is no call for fright or alarm.

WILLIAM C. AMMAN,
Medical Officer of Health

SUBMARINE LIFE-SAVING SUIT

The British Admiralty recently
demonstrated for the first time a
new safety suit which will be is-
sued to all submarine crews. It is
made of rubberized nylon and
when packed weighs only 6 lbs.
Experts consider that it removes
any element of chance for under-
water escapes. This suit is worn
over ordinary clothes and is fitted
on the right shoulder with a light
which is automatically switched on
by the action of the seawater. It
also incorporates the Davis breath-
ing apparatus strapped on the
chest. As the surface is reached the
suit is inflated to provide extra
buoyancy and insulate the wearer
from the cold. Cuffs and neck op-
enings are automatically sealed to
keep out water while special
gloves protect the hands.

Canadians smoke approximately
10 billion cigarettes a year, and
pay \$170,000,000 in federal taxes
on these cigarettes.

Circular building, with suites
that spiral, and utilities installed
in the shaft, is new building trend.

Auction Sale

Enavored With Instructions From
E. DUQUETTE & SON
I will sell the following Cattle,
Farm Machinery, and Household
Goods by public auction at the
farm located on the —
N.E. of 34-31-2, W5th
2 MILES WEST AND 3 MILES
NORTH OF DIDSBURY
TUESDAY, MARCH 7
COMMENCING AT 1:00 P.M.

10 HEAD OF CATTLE

Holstein Cow, 4 years old, fresh
four months; Good Milch Cow, 7
years old, to freshen soon; Pure-
bred Registered Gurnsey Cow, just
fresh; 2 Holstein Heifers; 1 Good
Heifer; 2 Yearling Heifers; Holstein
Heifer Calf; Bull Calf.

4 HEAD OF HORSES

Team of Sorrel Draft Mares, 7
and 8 years old; Good Saddle
Mare; Pinto Mare Colt.

MISCELLANEOUS

Stack of Brome Hay; 500 Oat
Dumplings; 7 Corda Fire Wood; Slat-
ings; Lumber; Window Frames.

FARM MACHINERY

Massey Harris 44-6 Tractor with
lights, headlights, fluid and power
take-off; Massey Harris 6 Sots Lift
Tiller; 8 Sections Diamond Har-
rows; 6 Packer; Rubber Tire Trac-
tor with Grain Box, 120 bus.; Rub-
ber Tire Wagon with Rack; Lister
Cream Separator; McCormick 8 ft.
Binder; Set of Harness; Svedle Saw;
Electric Fence with Insulators;
Post Maul; Wire Stretcher; Barrel
Pump; Vise; Tools; Double Trees;
Neck Yokes; Stoneboat; Carpenter
Tools; Mechanic's Tools; Chains;
Farm Garden Tools; Stock Loader;
Shovels; Burdizzo Muscular Vac-
uumator; 22 Rifle; Cattle Feeder;
Platform Scales.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Two Quebec Heaters; Quantity of
Furniture; Scales; Jars; Milk
Pails; Milk Strainer Pressure Cook-
er and other articles.

TERMS CASH

ARCHIE BOYCE **C.E. REIDER**
Auctioneer Clerk
Lic. No. 21-49-50

THE DIDSBURY OPERA THEATRE

THURS., FRI., SAT.:
MARCH 2, 3, 4 —

MON., TUES., WED.:
MARCH 6, 7, 8 —

COLORADO
TERRITORY

Featuring
Joel McCrea and
Virginia Mayo

ALSO CARTOON
AND NEWS

COMING SOON

Four Faces West
Red Danube
Roseanne McCoy
Under Capicorn
Down To The
Sea In Ships

(Watch for Dates of
the above Shows)

Tonight she plays
with **MURDER!**



LEX LINDA
HARRISON DARNELL
RUDY BARBARA
VALLEE LAWRENCE

Unfaithfully
Yours

An Original Screen Play Written,
Directed and Produced by
PRESTON STURGES

ALSO CARTOON
AND NEWS

ACCLAIMED BY GROWERS



Authorized "NACHURS" Dealer
ELMER PIEPER
DIDSBURY, ALBERTA

MR. STOCK OWNER

We have been hearing a lot of pleasing com-
ments about how our
BURNS' PROTEIN & MINERAL SUPPLEMENTS
"pep up" low grade feeds and cut down feed
costs.

Careful feeders tell us they are saving money
and keeping their stock in better shape using
these supplements.

We Now Have Oyster Shell and Poultry Grits
in small packages. Also a fresh consignment of
Burns' Chick Starter.

CENTRAL FEED STORE

DIDSBURY, ALTA. PHONE 51

FOR BETTER PRINTING AT REASONABLE

PRICES CONSULT "THE PIONEER"

LOOK 'EM OVER !!

Lighting Fixtures
Or Appliances

We Try to Sell the Better Class of Merchandise

— CHECK BEFORE YOU BUY —

DIDSBURY ELECTRIC AND PLUMBING

William A. Moench (formerly of Carstairs) prop.
Phone 51, Didsbury — Phone 66, Carstairs

THE DIDSBURY PIONEER

Established in 1903

Published Every Wednesday at Didsbury, Alberta

Entered as Second Class Matter, Post Office Department, Ottawa

Subscription: In Canada \$2.00 a year; In U.S.A., \$2.50

Member of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Ass'n. and of the Alberta Division of the C.W.N.A.

ED. J. ROULEAU, Editor & Publisher

REASONS FOR QUITTING

Some weeks ago, top bracket economist Dr. Edwin G. Nourse quit his post as chairman of President Truman's Council of Economic Advisers. His last official words outlined his quarrel with the policies of Washington and they were brave words, words worth repeating in this day and age when experiments in socialism are the height of fashion.

Said Dr. Nourse, in part:

"As an economist, I do not see standards of life being raised adequately out of enlarged production, when a great labour organization sees the current situation as the 'occasion for a reduction in the hours or work' . . . when the czar of coal orders a three-day week with full pay for a redundant labour force . . . when pensions at 60 are demanded for a population steadily becoming longer-lived . . .

"I am not happy either when I see government slipping back into deficits as a way of life, in a period when production and employment are high, instead of putting its fiscal house in order and husbanding reserves to support the economy if less prosperous times overtake us.

"We must recognize that we can't get more out of the economic system than we put in, that collective bargaining in good faith and on solid facts is a road to a workable distribution of total product, and that monetary and fiscal tricks have no power of magic but are a slippery road to misery."

THE POWER OF A WOMAN

When Chambers of Commerce, municipal councils, and transportation experts and economists discuss the problems of attracting industry to a particular municipality, they talk about such things as freight rates, proximity to the source of material supply, and distribution costs.

They are partly right, for these factors which have some part in determining the most economic location of any industrial enterprise.

Never, however, underestimate the power of a woman.

In recent discussions with several manufacturers who are considering moving their plants from large cities to smaller communities, we were told that the biggest single obstacle was not the cost of moving, the finding of adequate personnel, nor freight rates, but merely convincing the wives of certain key employees that life in a small town was "human".

One manufacturer who had moved to a point 60 miles outside Toronto some three years ago was being forced to return to the city because the wives of his executives would not adjust themselves to life and friends in a smaller centre.

Making strangers feel at home, improving local recreation facilities, raising the cultural level of a community and other similar considerations are often "posh-poshed" by hard-headed business men and labor leaders who claim that the main job of a chamber of commerce or a town council is to go out and get more industry. It often happens, however, that seemingly unimportant considerations such as these are the very things which determine the industrial and commercial prosperity of a town or village.

Most industrial heads move their plants to new communities because they fall in love with the way of life in these communities, not because of economic factors. They like the fishing. They like the people. They like the beauty of the surroundings. They are impressed by the cleanliness of the town. In other words they think that's the sort of place I'd like to live in and raise my children. And if their key executives feel the same way, the industrial progress of that town is sure.

A friendly welcome and a friendly face is often a greater asset to a community than a strategic location.

Auction Sale

Favored With Instructions From
C. V. ROGERSON

I will sell the following registered Angus Cattle, Farm Machinery and Household Goods by public auction at the farm located on the —
NORTH 1/2 OF 20-31-3, W5th
10 MILES WEST AND 1/2 MILE
NORTH OF DIDSBURY
THURSDAY, MARCH 9
Commencing at 1:00 P.M.—Lunch
Served by W.A. at Nominal Charge.

11 HEAD OF REGISTERED ANGUS CATTLE—See Sale Bill for particulars.

FARM MACHINERY

Hart Part 80 Tractor on rubber; Case Thresher 28-36; Cockshutt Power Binder; Massey Harris 6 Ft. Tiller; 6 Ft. Packer; Massey Harris 3 Berton 14 in. Flow; Cable Weeder; 14 Ft.; 28 In Single Disc Drill; 3 section McLeod Flexible Harrows; Cockshutt Mower, Oil Bath; Grain Tank and Rack; Wagon Gear; Set of Harness; 2 Wheel Trailer; Vice; 1 Wheel Chassis; Logging Chains and Other Tools; Section Diamond Harrows; 2 Section Spring Tooth Harrows; 3-Furrow Packer; Steel Wheelbarrow; 8 Gallons of Weed Spray.

EXTRA GOOD TEAM OF CLYDE HORSES, rising 7 and 9 years, weight 3200 lbs.
ALSO 50 CHICKENS.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Studio Lounge and Chair; Couch; Bedroom Suite; Occasional Chair; Kitchen Range; Oil Heater; Radio; Dinette Suite; Table; Chairs; Ice Box; Cream Separator; Washing Machine; Writing Desk; Dishes, etc.

TERMS CASH

ARCHIE BOYCE **C.E. REIBER**
Auctioneer Clerk
Lic. No. 21-49-50

Federal government contribution to completing a two lane, hard-surfaced highway across Canada is authorized to be up to \$150,000,000, half the highway's cost.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Rev. A. J. Grams, Pastor

Sunday Services: 10:30 a.m., Worship service. 11:30 a.m., Sunday school.

7:30 p.m., evening service every Sunday with the Youth Fellowship in charge at every other Sunday evening service.

Wednesday evening, 8:00 p.m. — Bible study and prayer meeting. Thursday evening, 8 p.m.—Choir practice.

Alternate Sundays at Bethel and Rutland; 2:00 p.m., Sunday school followed by worship service.

The pastor and congregation extend a cordial invitation to every one to worship with us. "Come and we will do this good."

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH

"The Church of the Lutheran Hour"
REV. E. B. FOX, Pastor

Divine Service on Sunday at 11 a.m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Class following the service.



BENEFIT BY THIS GOOD NEWS COMBINATION

YOUR HOME TOWN PAPER gives you complete, dependable local news. You need to know all that is going on where you live. But you live, also, in a **WORLD**, where momentous events are in the making—events which mean so much to you, to your job, your home, your future. For constructive reports and international news, there is no substitute for **THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR** daily.

Enjoy the benefits of being best informed—locally, nationally, internationally—with your local paper and The Christian Science Monitor.

LISTEN Tuesday nights over ABC stations to "The Christian Science Monitor Views the News." And use this coupon today for a special introductory subscription. **\$1.00**

The Christian Science Monitor, One, Newbury St., Boston 15, Mass. U.S.A. Please send me an introductory subscription to The Christian Science Monitor—26 issues. I enclose \$1.

(name)
(address)
(city) (state) (postal)
PST

NEW INSECTICIDE

A new chemical, Aldrin, will be the major poison used to fight the grasshopper menace in Saskatchewan this year. This new poison is much more potent than Chlordane, which was used extensively last summer. While it has not been used in Canada to date it has been tested extensively and has been used commercially in the United States.

British Boys To Tour Canada Next Fall

Fifty British boys, chosen for the second free tour of Canada promoted by Mr. W. Garfield Weston, millionaire biscuit manufacturer will sail from Liverpool in August. Their tour will last 23 days. On July 12th, the same number of Canadian boys will sail from Quebec for a tour of Britain.

NEW POWERFUL JET ENGINE

Details have been released of the turbo-Boycor Avon turbo-jet, one of the most powerful gas turbines in the world. The engine has a multi-stage axial compressor and eight combustion chambers. It weighs 2,400 pounds. Two Avons are fitted in the English Electric Canberra, the first British jet bomber. Two Avons have also been fitted experimentally in a Meteor jet fighter, and it was this aircraft that achieved a rate of climb of 40,000 feet in about four minutes. It is officially stated that the thrust of the Avon is 6,000 pounds at sea level.

To Investigate Farm Lands in Mexico

Alberta's 4,000 Hutterites were reported to have sent a delegation of 20 representatives to Mexico to "investigate" possible acquisition of farm land there in event the religious sect decides to leave Canada.

High-ranking Hutterite spokesmen at Lethbridge said the delegation represents all colonies of the sect in Alberta.

"Not one of the Hutterite colonies is thinking of leaving right now," they said, "but we want to have a good place picked out for a time of need. We need to be prepared."

REGAL COAL

For Coal Orders and Collections Phone
E. BUHR AT THE ALTA. PACIFIC ELEVATOR

— PHONE No. 100 —

WEIGH AND PAY AT THE ELEVATOR

W. L. REIMER

• USE THE CLASSIFIED ADS — IT PAYS •



Have a cleaner, more comfortable home. And have time to spare for those extra things you want to do.

Heat and cook with oil and banish time-wasting tending fires, and extra cleaning caused by ashes and dirt. Use Esso Domestic Heating Oils in space heaters, floor furnaces, automatic oil burners, hot water heaters, stoves, stock trough heaters and chicken brooders.

See your oil burner equipment dealer for installation and service. Contact your nearest Imperial Oil Office or Agent for your supply of dependable Esso Domestic Heating Oil.

IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED

The call that wakes a nation's heart to action



Somewhere in Canada . . . someone in distress, perhaps a little child . . . is calling to you for help . . . through your Red Cross. Answer generously, from your heart! Give to aid in the

never-ending work you count on the Red Cross to do. This year, the need is urgent for \$5,000,000. Only you can give your share. Give from your heart . . . and give all you can!

THE WORK OF MERCY NEVER ENDS...

Give from the heart
Campaign Headquarters:
REIBER BROTHERS OFFICE, phone 90

PRINTING ...

Job Printing is an important part of our business and we are ready to serve you at all times in our printing department.

We have all new type in our plant and are thus enabled to turn out better and more modern printed matter.

Check over your supplies now and if there is anything in the printing line you need, give us the order immediately. Do not wait till you are down to that last letterhead or envelope.

The Didsbury Pioneer

PHONE 12 — DIDSBURY

THE DIDSBURY VARIETY STORE

S. FOX, prop. — PHONE 122, DIDSBURY

Plastic Wall Flower Pots 25c
Whisks, with Electrene bristles 45c & 65c
"Didsbury" Engraved Leather Wallets :
Ladies' \$1.50 — Men's \$1.95
INFANTS' WEAR AND SUPPLIES
Nylon Full Fashioned Hose \$1.00; \$1.25; \$1.65
Toys, Ornaments and Novelties for Birthday
Gifts and Prizes.
**Batteries for All Purposes — Tubes Tested
BATTERY CHARGING AND BATTERY REPAIR
WORK AS USUAL**

FOR BETTER PRINTING AT REASONABLE

PRICES CONSULT "THE PIONEER"

USED FARM MACHINERY

MASSEY HARRIS 101 SR. TRACTOR, all recon-
ditioned. Excellent rubber.
CASE 20 RUN PRESS DRILL.

NEW FARM MACHINERY

New Farm Equipment Readily Available.
**SEE US FOR A COCKSHUTT 20 or 24 RUN
PRESS DRILL WITH 6" SPACING**
CULTIVATORS — PLOWS — TILLERS
DISC HARROWS
COCKSHUTT 30 AND 40 TRACTORS
FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY

EDFORD MOTORS

YOUR MODERN GARAGE

Ed Ford Prop. — Phone 58, Didsbury

ACT NOW!

Take Advantage of the New Low Cost of
FIRE INSURANCE
The cost of building has increased—is your old
insurance policy giving you full protection?
If not, let us put this extra insurance on for you.

McDONALD AGENCIES

Real Estate—General Insurance—Farm Loans

USED SPECIALS

20 RUN INTERNATIONAL PRESS DRILL, Good.
24 RUN INTERNATIONAL DRILL, Good.
20 RUN COCKSHUTT DRILL, 2 years old.
2—K5 INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS.
SEE US FOR YOUR SPRING REQUIREMENTS

HAROLD E. OKE

YOUR MACHINE MAN
PHONE 10 — DIDSBURY

OLDSMOBILE OFFERS NEW 1950 FEATURES

The new 1950 Futuramic Oldsmobile just announced by General Motors is available in either the Series 76 or Series 88 — the latter powered by the 135 h.p. high compression Rocket engine teamed with the newly-developed Whirlaway Hydramatic Drive. Standard Hydramatic Drive is an option at extra cost on Series 76 models. The 1950 Oldsmobile also features smartened exterior appearance, new interior trim design, new colors and sturdier construction — shown here is the Series 76 deluxe four-door Sedan.

—: DISTRICT NEWS:—**ZELLA NOTES**

Mrs. Anton Oppen of Camrose has been a guest of her daughters, Mrs. Wilbur Jahnke and Mrs. Arthur Waldorf, for the past week. She spent the past three months at Vancouver visiting another daughter but much prefers sunny Alberta.

Mrs. Stan Janzen of Didsbury visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gibbs from Monday until Wednesday.

Mrs. Eddie Rindal also spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rindal of Red Deer.

Nine ladies enjoyed the quilting bee and the delicious lunch served by the hostess, Mrs. Knights, on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnston motored to Calgary Thursday.

Miss Marie Toppen, who underwent an appendicectomy operation in a Calgary hospital last Thursday, arrived Monday evening for a convalescent period at her home.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

The Jutland Beef Club will sponsor a concert and box social at Mountain View Hall on Friday, March 3. Don't forget to come and bring your boxes, folks, and help the Beef Club.

Seven tables of Cards were enjoyed last Wednesday evening at the hall with Mrs. Harold Shultz taking first for the ladies and Mrs. Worrall the consolation. The men's high score went to John Kohut and the consolation to Reg. Hamper. Watch for date of next card party.

Mr. and Mrs. Grenville McCall were Calgary visitors last Tuesday.

Mr. Jake Warkentin of Calgary spent the weekend with Kenneth and Donald Shultz.

Mrs. Wm. Shultz had as supper guests Sunday evening David and Osmond Smith.

Dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bruce on Sunday were Miss Alice Bruce, Mr. Elmer Rogers and Mr. John Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagner and Ernie had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Crump of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Tolter of Didsbury.

The old world is studying the new world's production methods.

GIRLING—WOOD

On Saturday, February 4, in the Chapel of the Metropolitan Church in Edmonton, Maxine Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Wood of Didsbury, was married to Jack Bryce, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Girling of Ponoka. The Rev. E. Vipond officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Girling will reside in Edmonton.

St. Cyprien's Anglican Church

March 3th—Lent II
3:00 p.m.—Evensong.

CANON WINTER

UNITED CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday services at the United Church will be held as follows:

Didsbury, 11 a.m.—Church school for all ages. 7:45 p.m.: Evening worship. Music led by choir. Story for young people. 9 p.m.: Y.P.U. meeting in the schoolroom.

Westcott, 11 a.m.: Morning worship followed by Sunday school.

Westdale, 3 p.m.: Public Worship with story for young people.

Minister: Rev. J.W. Bainbridge, M.A., B.D.

Please Note — The next dinner meeting of the A.O.T.S. Men's Club will be held on Wednesday, March 8, at 1 p.m. in Westcott Church. Rev. J. Gardiner of Gaetz Memorial Church, Red Deer, will be the speaker. All men are cordially invited to attend.

BURNSIDE NEWS

Mrs. Walter McCulloch spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown.

The Sunnyslope Busy Bees dance at the Leaside Pine Hall on Friday evening was a huge success.

Norma McCulloch of Edmonton spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clarke and family spent Sunday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. Duquette.

Joe Hunter was a Calgary visitor on Tuesday.

Louis McCulloch of Edmonton, brought down a rink on Sunday, and with two rinks from town, an enjoyable afternoon was spent in curling competitions at the Midway Community Curling Rink.

Miss Constance Arlenson of Balha is one of the six girls entered in the Stettler Rotary Club's Carnival Queen contest. Miss Arlenson was born in the Burnside district, and her father, a former Didsbury high school graduate, was teacher at the Burnside school for nine years.

Robert McNeil of Calgary spent the week end at his parental home. Mr. John Davis of Sunnyslope is a patient in the Three Hills Hospital where he underwent a major operation.

Bill Jenkins of Edmonton was a visitor in the district last weekend.

George Braun, son of Jake Braun, was taken to the Calgary General Hospital Saturday, suffering from internal injuries received when a tractor wheel fell on him while it was being unloaded from a truck.

WEST NEWS NOTES

The Elktion Hockey Club is to be congratulated for the splendid program they sponsored at the Rugby hall last Wednesday evening. A good crowd turned out and those present nussed a real treat.

Mr. A. L. Hogg was chairman. No one item could be mentioned as outstanding, every one being tops, but congratulations go to Mrs. P. Hoggood, as Aunt Bessie, as she only took over the part two days before the concert, and was word perfect. Mrs. Goetjen opened the program and was called back for an encore. There were instrumental numbers by Mr. K. Barnard and Mr. Erickson, and also by the Krebs' family, and all were enjoyed.

Two exceptionally good plays caused lots of amusement and the casts included Mrs. G. Befus, Mrs. Les Evans, Mr. Les Evans and Mrs. P. Hoggood in "Elizabeth's Young Man", and Mrs. P. Luft, Mrs. H. Erickson, Mr. L. Papke, Mrs. L. Bantling, Mr. W. Papke and Mr. Arnold Hogg in "Sparks From An Old Flame".

Mr. Jack Robertson delighted the audience with three comic songs, as did Mr. Alex Robertson with two delightful numbers. The program was filled out by recitations by little Dwylla Byrt and Vera Befus, and a comic reading by Mrs. J. Hoggood.

The Elktion Social club thanks all who helped in any way. Mrs. J. Woolway of Red Deer won the quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sutherland visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. Bagshaw on Sunday.

Mr. Charlie Byrt returned home from the hospital on Monday.

Mrs. J. Woolway, who has been spending the past two weeks with Mrs. J. Hoggood, returned to her home in Red Deer on Monday.

Mrs. O. Blain and Mrs. H. Erickson were two of the four who won dust pans while curling the week before last at Eagle Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hogg were Cremona visitors on Sunday.

Mrs. O. Krebs and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Kenschuh on Sunday.

The Elktion Social Club held a whist drive at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Papke on Monday evening with five tables played.

Hours going to Mr. J. Bagshaw, playing as a lady, and Mr. L. Bantling. Consolations went to Mrs. L. Bantling and Mr. A.L. Hogg. The next whist drive will be held at the school on Monday, March 13. Mr. Bagshaw won the box of chocolates.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Luft spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. L. Papke.

The Elktion Willing Workers sponsored a skating party on Saturday, when all children present were treated to hot dogs, buns, cake and cocoa.

Mrs. O. Krebs and Mrs. A.L. Hogg attended the Red Cross Annual meeting in Calgary Thursday and Friday. They report a splendid convention with delegates attending from all parts of the province.

Special mention made of the need for more blood donors, and if people could see how simple the donating is, they would not hesitate to volunteer. Sewing, especially children's underwear, knitting and quilts, are needed, much of which will go to Greece.

MELVIN NOTES

Mrs. Margaret Cowitz returned home Tuesday after spending four months at Versaylor, Saskatchewan, visiting at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Krebs spent several days in Calgary last week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Wollen returned home Saturday from a visit with their daughter Lena and family at Baldonnel B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wahl had as their guests at a turkey dinner on Sunday, their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shannon and family, and Mrs. Shannon's son, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Krebs, and Mr. and Mrs. K. Shannon were Edmonton visitors on Tuesday. Mrs. Krebs stayed for a medical check-up, returning Thursday.

Correction from last week. The guests of the Dupont's were Des Jardins, not the Bes Jardins as printed.

FARM THE MODERN WAY

JOHN DEERE TRACTORS are equipped with hydraulic control which can be adapted to any implement no matter what make, age or size. With John Deere Power-trol you will do more work, do it better and with less effort.

LET US SHOW YOU HOW

LEO NICHOLS

JOHN DEERE DEALER — PHONE 132

HOW ABOUT THAT NEW

DAIRY BARN PLAN NOW

— CAR OF FIR EXPECTED SOON —

H. R. BURGESSSPECIALIZED SHOPWORK
OUR AIM—YOUR SATISFACTION

— FOR THE —

LENTEN SEASON

WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF
FRESH AND SMOKED FISH
WANTED — DRESSED POULTRY

KIRBY'S MEAT MARKET

PHONE 127 — DIDSBURY

FOR SALE

400 acres, East of Didsbury. 300 acres cultivated, 50 acres wild hay, 40 acres pasture. House 4 rooms, good barn, new hen house, garage and granary.

PRICE \$10,500.00

REIBER BROTHERS

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
C. E. Reiber PHONE 90 A.W. Reiber

FOR SALE

A USED LATE MODEL
MERCURY LIGHT DELIVERY
— READY TO GO —

ROGER BARRETT

FORD DEALER
PHONE 126 — DIDSBURY

George Morasch and Jas. Coates of Cremona were dinner guests Thursday afternoon, March 2nd, at 2:45 p.m., at the home of Mrs. C. F. Nicholl.

Royden Fisher, who is attending the University at Edmonton, was home over the weekend.

The Afternoon Group of the Knox United Church W.A. will meet on Thursday afternoon, March 2nd, at 2:45 p.m., at the home of Mrs. C. F. Nicholl.

Miss Joyce Lihrt of Calgary was home over the weekend.

LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Harvey Burgess has started construction of an office and warehouse at his lumber yard in the south part of town.

There will be a Youth For Christ Rally in the Mountain View Hall on Thursday, March 2, at 8 p.m. Alex Leonovich is the guest speaker. There will be special music by the Bible School Trio.

Considerable alterations have been made to Marc's Service Hardware. Part of the south wall of the main building has been taken out and an archway made between the two sections, greatly adding to the convenience and appearance of the premises.

Rold Clarke returned last Tuesday from Vancouver where he spent ten days attending the convention of Jersey cattle breeders.

Miss Joyce Topley of Lethbridge spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Topley.

Correction—A double line in the Lions Club activities on page 5 of this issue dealing with contributions to charities should read "to Woods Christian Home".



PREPARING FOR SPRING?

Our Yard is Well Stocked With
LUMBER, SHINGLES, FENCE POSTS

SEE US FOR YOUR PAINT NEEDS

We can provide the highest quality Paint for your house, barn, and other buildings.

ATLAS LUMBER CO. LTD.
ELDON C. HUNT, mgr. PHONE 125

McCULLOUGH'S — EXCLUSIVE, BUT INEXPENSIVE

SPRING COATS — First showing of beautiful styles.

DRESSES — "Martha Washington" Spuns and Quality Chambrays.

MILLINERY — New Spring Numbers.

YARDAGE — Spuns, Gingham, Prints, Poplins, Nylon, Flannelette.

"Wabasso" Pillow Cases — "Beehive" and "Kroy" Wool — Butterfly Nylons

McCullough's Clothing
PHONE 124 — DIDSBURY

HALLIDAY'S

"THE BEST FOR A LITTLE LESS"
— PHONE 101 — DIDSBURY —

LOBSTER, Fancy 1/2's, per tin	69c
SALMON, Sockeye, 1/2's, per tin	45c
HERRINGS, 5 oz. tin	10c
KING OSCAR SARDINES, per tin	29c
SALMON, Fancy Pink, 1's, per tin	49c
PEAS, Aylmer Jumbo, 20 oz. tin	2 for 35c
TOMATO JUICE, Stockley, 20 oz. tin	2 for 32c
MARMALADE, Eamon's 4 lb. tin	60c
HOT CHOCOLATE, Frys 1 lb.	44c
CANDY, Jumbo Gums, per lb.	28c
AIMCEE SOAP FLAKES	3 pkgs. 73c
TOMATO CATSUP, Snyders 12 oz.	2 for 45c

FOR YOUR SPRING ...

HOME PERMANENT

Swing into Spring with that well-groomed feeling.

RICHARD HUDNUT DELUXE REFILL KIT—

Contains Creme Wave Lotion, Egg Shampoo, Creme Rinse, Extra Curlers, Rubber Bands and applicators. **\$2.25**

COMPLETE SET—Everything you need for your home perm **\$3.25**

TONI—With the new spin curler. Quicker to use because they are easier to operate and hold more hair.

Complete Set **\$2.79**
Refills **\$1.25**

Law's Drug Store

The Rexall Store Phone 40, Didsbury
We Will Be Open Saturday Evenings Till 9 p.m.

IN DIDSBURY IT'S Ranton's

MARCH SIMPLICITY PATTERNS NOW IN STOCK

LADIES'

FLIGHT BOOTS

With extra heavy sheep lining.

Sizes 6 to 9. Extra Special at **\$7.45**

1 Pair Men's

FLIGHT BOOTS

Size 9. Now **\$8.49**

4 Pair Men's

BROWN OXFORDS

With Paneline Soles.

2 size 7 1/2, 1 size 8 and 1 size 10.

Going at **\$3.95**

LOTS OF

NEW 1950 PRINTS

Percales, Spun Crepe, Rayon, Pique, Sateen, Back Crepe in black and grey, Gabardine and Alpine in grey, navy, brown, green & wine. Also Wool and Rayon Plaids.

Snappy Homespun BED SPREADS

You'll Always Do —

— Better At

Ranton's

NEW, FRESH STOCK OF

CERESAN

14 oz. tin 35c — 3 lb. tin **\$2.70** — 6 lb. tin **\$5.30**

JOHNSON FLOOR POLISHER

FOR RENT

\$1.00 Per Day

JOHNSON'S PASTE POLISHING WAX

Famous for beautifying and protecting floors of all kinds
PRICE 59c

MAC'S SERVICE HARDWARE

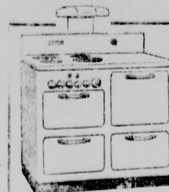
W.A. McFarquhar, prop. — Phone 33

For Luxury ... cook electrically

WITH A

Westinghouse

RANGE and ROASTER-OVEN



MODEL RM

\$299.00

Specialty designed for the small or medium kitchen.



MODEL A-4M

\$230.00

AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC RANGES TAKE GUESSWORK OUT OF COOKING

No more watching ... place your roasts, pies, or bread, in the TRUE-TEMP Oven, set the control at the required temperature ... and leave the rest to your Westinghouse Range.

● Big, Roomy TRUE-TEMP Oven.

● Super-Speed Surface Heaters with current-saving live-heat switches.

● Smooth porcelain enamel surface and oven-lining (with rounded shelf-glides) cleans like a china dish.

BUILDERS' HARDWARE STORES LTD.

TREV EVANS, manager

PHONE 7

EAST NOTES

W. J. Scheidt attended the Alberta Family Producers' Convention at Calgary February 22 and 23, as delegate for Sub District D-2.

Mrs. J. Cullie and two daughters of Calgary visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Spence. Mr. Cullie arrived Saturday and the family returned to Calgary Sunday.

The Didsbury Boaters and the high school hockey team will play at the local arena on Wednesday, March 1, at 8:30 p.m. This is a play-off game and should be interesting to hockey fans.

Cecil Shields, who is working at Jenkins' Groceries in Hanna, was Didsbury visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Buhr and Mr. and Mrs. Fildes, Mountain and Pat, of Glenora, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buhr.

Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Iversich of Calgary visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ranton on Sunday.

The Builders' Hardware is installing new display tables this week.

Mrs. J.R. Stevens was called to Davenport, Iowa, to visit with her father, who was 92 on February 11. She left Monday evening by train.

Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Fox of Lethbridge, Mr. Bert Fox of Edmonton, and Mr. Norman Brownwell of Calgary, were Didsbury visitors over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. Fox. Mr. Wm. Fox will visit at Lethbridge for a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Fox.

Born at the Didsbury Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. H.B. Goodson on Thursday, February 23 a girl.

If the means test were eliminated, cost to Canada of the old-age pension would jump from \$100,000,000 a year to \$300,000,000.

FIGHTING WILD OATS

Use clean seed. Surface tillage is more effective than ploughing. Use rotation, providing for at least two years of hay, preferably followed by a year of fallow.

Use a smoother crop seed at a heavy rate, together with fertilizer. Oats, barley and wheat are effective in that order.

Delaying seeding with an early-maturing variety is a satisfactory emergency control measure.

Cultivating with rod weeder four or five days after seeding the crop. Where possible, delay spring seeding after working land by three weeks.

Fall cultivate stubble areas to induce spring growth of wild oats.

The dam burst, and a raging flood quickly forced the townspeople to flee to the hills.

As they gazed down sadly at their flooded homes, they saw a straw hat float gently down-stream for about 50 feet. Then it stopped, turned around and plowed slowly upstream against the rushing water. After 30 feet, it turned and moved downstream again. Then upstream again. Then downstream again.

"Say," said one of the townfolk, "what makes that straw hat act so funny?"

"Well, I ain't sartin'," spoke up a youth, "but last night I heard Grandpa swear, come hell or high water, he was a 'goin' to mow the lawn today."

— day afternoon with Mrs. Edith Thompson.

IT'S FIRST TO . . .

BERSCHT'S

— FOR —

SPRING SHOES AND CLOTHING

NEW ARRIVALS FOR LADIES —

"KAPLAN" Styled in California —

SUITS AND COATS

Gabardine, Worsted and Covert Materials

NYLON HOSIERY —

Mesh Heels and Toes, pair **\$1.95**

NYLON SUBS, per pair **99c**

NEW SKIRTS, Assorted Colors **\$3.95**

BLOUSES — Variety of Styles and Colors —
Priced at **\$1.98 & \$2.98**

WEEK END SPECIAL

BOYS' JACKETS, Values to \$5.95 **\$2.79**

J. V. BERSCHT & SONS
PHONE 36—DIDSBURY